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In re Application of: DYKES, Chris et al. Art Unit: 1797
Application No.: 10/578,453 Examiner: Sharon Pregler
Filed: 12 April 2007 Conf. No.: 2102
For: DISPOSABLE FLUID SAMPLE COLLECTION DEVICE

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Madam:

This Proposed Amendment is submitted in response to the Official Action dated 24 November 2010 and in conjunction with a simultaneously filed Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form (PTOL -413A). Amendments to the independent claims, numbers 1, 8, 10 and 14 are proposed.